## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

JANE DOE I, et al.,	)
Plaintiffs,	)
v.	) No. 4:08-cv-1518 CE
CHRIS KOSTER, et al.,	)
Defendants.	)

Plaintiffs' Motion for Extension of Time to File Response to

Motion to Stay or for Abstention

Come now Plaintiffs, pursuant to E.D.Mo. L.R. 1.05, and move this Court for an extension of time through and including August 4, 2009, in which to file their reply to Defendants McCulloch and Fitch's motion to stay or for abstention. In support of their motion, Plaintiffs state:

- 1. On July 9, 2009, Defendants Fitch and McCulloch filed a motion to stay or for abstention. (Doc. # 187).
- 2. Pursuant to E.D.Mo. L.R. 4.01 and Fed.R.Civ.P. 6(e), Plaintiffs' reply is due on July 21, 2009.
- 3. Plaintiffs' counsel requires additional time to respond to the motion.
  Undersigned counsel has had two intervening matters that required immediate action that have prevented him from working on a response.
  Co-counsel will be out of the country for the next two weeks.
- 4. Plaintiffs respectfully request a two-week extension, through and including

August 4, 2009, in which to file a response the motion.

5. This motion is not made for the purpose of delay and will not prejudice any party. Indeed, Defendants Fitch and McCulloch were themselves recently allowed a two-week extension to respond to a motion filed by Plaintiffs.

WHEREFORE Plaintiffs move this Court for entry of an ordering granting them through August 4, 2009, in which to file a response to Defendants Fitch and McCulloch's motion to stay or for abstention.

Respectfully submitted,

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